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Ribbon Cutting, Inventing in America





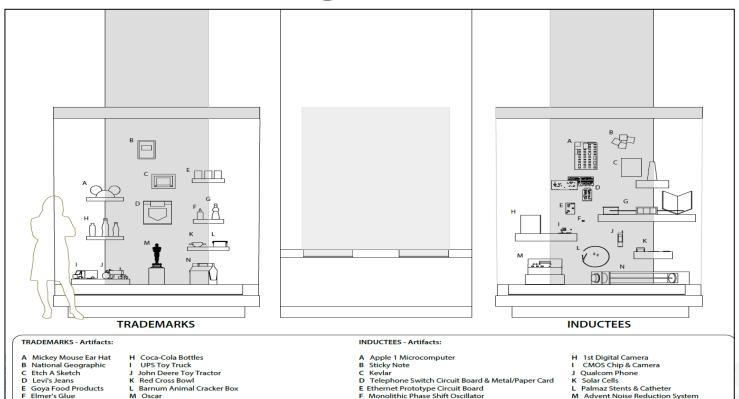
Inventing in America, Artifact Cases



Inventing in America



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G Splice Box, Optic Fiber, & Notebook

N Heliem-Neon Laser Discharge Apparatus

G Mrs. Butterworth

N Igloo Portable Cooler

Inventing in America



Ralph Baer Workshop



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Ribbon Cutting Innovation Stage West Wing First Floor



West Wing – First Floor National Museum of American History

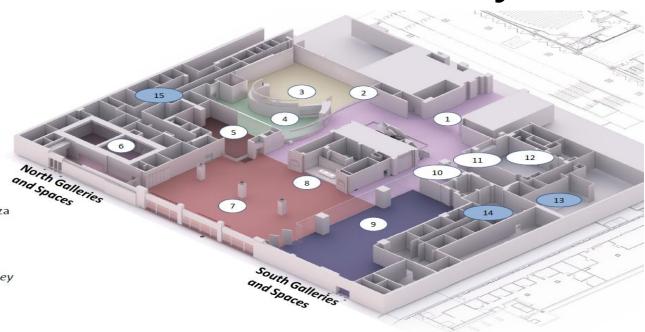
Level 1 – West Wing Theme: Innovation Opening: July 1, 2015

Exhibits / Public Spaces:

- 1. Gateway to Innovation Inventing America
- 2. Inventive Minds Gallery
- **3.** Lemelson Hal of Invention and Innovation *Places of Invention*
- 4. Spark!Lab
- Wonderplace
- 6. SC Johnson Conference Center
- 7. Patrick F. Taylor Foundation Object Project
- 8. Wallace H. Coulter Performance Stage & Plaza
- 9. Mars Hall of American Business
 - American Enterprise
- 10. Archives Center Exhibition
- 11. Smithsonian Libraries Exhibition Gallery
- 12. Gallery of Numismatics The Value of Money

Back of House:

- 13. SIL Dibner Library
- 14. Archives Center
- 15. Offices, Docents Lounge







American Enterprise

Ongoing First floor west

Visit the exhibition website



American Enterprise chronicles the tumultuous interaction of capitalism and democracy that resulted in the continual remaking of American business—and American life. Visitors will be immersed in the dramatic arc of labor, power, wealth, success, and failure in America in an 8,000-square-foot space focused on the role of business and innovation from the mid-1700s to the present. Through captivating objects and engaging interactive displays, visitors can trace the country's development from a small, dependent agricultural nation to one of the world's most vibrant economies.











Measured Perfection Smithsonian American Art Museum



The exhibition is organized by Karen Lemmey, sculpture curator.

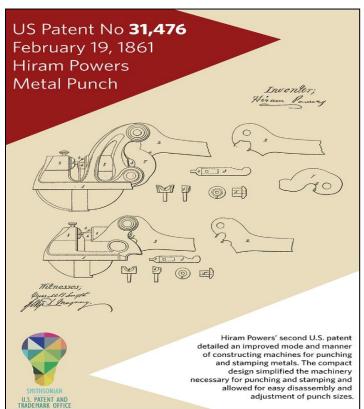
Measured Perfection: Hiram Powers'

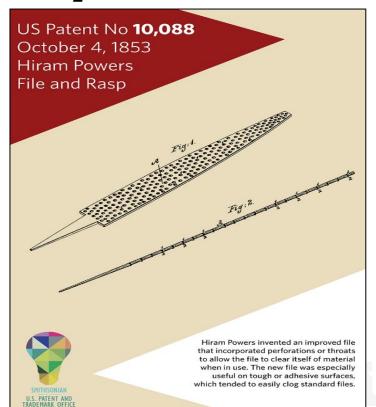
Greek Slave is organized by the Smithsonian American Art Museum in collaboration with the United States Patent and Trademark Office.





Measured Perfection







Innovation FESTIVAL2015

Sat. Sept. 26 | Sun. Sept. 27 | 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. National Museum of American History FREE EVENT

Talks | Exhibits | Activities | Family Fun



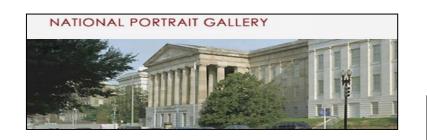
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